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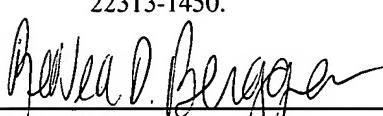
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Serial № : 10/085,929
Filed : February 28, 2002
Group Art Unit : 2133
Examiner : Lamarre, Guy J.
For : OPTIMIZED READ PERFORMANCE METHOD USING
METADATA TO PROTECT AGAINST DRIVE
ANOMALY ERRORS IN A STORAGE ARRAY

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL
(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, November 30, 2005 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee", Mailing Label № EV 793 380 427 US addressed to: MS RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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DATED: November 30, 2005

1. This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
2. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
 - a. Previously submitted
 - i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on July 27, 2005
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. Other _____

- b. Enclosed
- i. Amendment/Reply
- ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. Other _____
3. Miscellaneous
- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months
- b. Other _____
4. A *Petition for a Two Month Extension* is also enclosed herewith, including authorization to charge fees to Deposit Account.
5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account № 12-2252 in the amount of **\$790.00**. Please charge any underpayments related to this RCE or credit any excess to Deposit Account № 12-2252. A duplicate of this RCE is enclosed for accounting purposes only.

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